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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that a Certificate of Correction be issued in the above-identified patent to correct a typographical mistake made by the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office. The typographical error is as follows:

Column 1, line 26 - change "revered" to --recovered--

Column 1, line 54 - change "CoO₃O₄" to --Co₃O₄--

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Column 3, line 45 - change "last" to --least--

Column 4, line 59 - delete "ion"

Column 5, line 63 - change "on" to --cerium--

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No fee accompanies this request in that it is respectfully noted that the mistakes were made by the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office during printing.

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